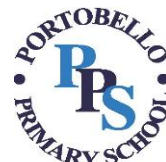




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## Portobello Primary School

Term dates for 2025/26



To help you prepare for holidays next year we would like to share the following information:

Autumn Term		
Start of term	Half term	Last day of term
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> September 2025	27 <sup>th</sup> Oct - 31 <sup>st</sup> Oct 2025	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> December 2025
Spring Term		
Start of term	Half term	Last day of term
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> January 2026	23 <sup>rd</sup> - 27 <sup>th</sup> February 2026	Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April 2026
Summer Term		
Start of term	Half term	Last day of term
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> April 2026	25 <sup>th</sup> May - 29 <sup>th</sup> May 2026 (bank holiday 25 <sup>th</sup> May)	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> July 2026

- All dates are inclusive.
- **Please note the return date for pupils is Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2025.**
- In addition to the above dates, schools will be closed to pupils and staff on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2026 (Bank Holiday).
- **Two days** within the above terms are to be used for professional development for staff. These dates are to be determined and agreed by individual school governing bodies. **School will be closed to pupils on these days:**
  - **Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2025**  
**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> February 2026**
- In addition, **one occasional day** within the Summer Term 2026 is to be utilised for the purpose of closure for possible election purposes: this day to be used near the end of the summer term and agreed by individual school governing bodies. **School will be closed to staff and pupil on this day.**
- The start of the Autumn Term 2026 is proposed as Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2026.